

ASSUMPTION COLLEGIAN

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SOCIAL NOTES.

The second meeting of the preliminaries of the Oratorical Contest was held on Thursday evening, March 2nd. The speakers of this evening were Messrs. McMillan and Hogan whose topics were respectively "Divorce" and "Paganism in America". These speeches were of a very high standard from a standpoint of both matter and delivery. The judges through their spokesman, Father Coughlin, congratulated the members who had entered the contest, emphasizing the fact that all the speeches given had a common note of morality, which, Father Coughlin, said, was gratifying to the teaching body of Assumption College. The members who were successful in the preliminary hearing were named as follows:— Messrs. John Gibbons, William Hogan and John McMillan. All those who heard the speeches are keenly interested in the out-come of the finals which will be held in the Auditorium on the evening of March 21st. The Collegian wishes to congratulate not only those gentlemen who were mentioned for the finals, but also Messrs. O'Neil, Bussutill, Smith and Murphy, who so nobly contended for the honor of appearing as the orators of Assumption College.

On Sunday morning the regular meeting of the Blessed Virgin's Sodality was held in the College Chapel. Owing to the absence of the Reverend Director, Father Sharpe, Reverend Father Coughlin delivered a sermon, taking as his text the invocation, "Cause of Our Joy". Following his highly interesting and instructive discourse, the Office of the Sodality was chanted and the meeting adjourned.

A meeting of the St. Francis Foreign Mission Society will be held in the students' library this evening. Reverend Father Rogers will address the members and all are urged to attend.

A debate between First and Second Year Arts is scheduled to take place in the students' library next Tuesday evening. The question to be ~~debated~~ debated is:—"Resolved; That the Sciences should Supplant the Classics in the Modern System of Education". First Year Arts is defending the affirmative of the question and it is expected that the debate will be a lively and interesting one. The Second Year Arts team is composed of Messrs. Fallon, O'Mara and Nachazel, and that of First Year Arts is Messrs. McMillan, Redmond and Smith.

Reverend Father Welty, who has been confined to his room for the past few days suffering from neuralgia, is much improved and hopes to be back at his desk very shortly.

Father Muckle, Father Welty, and Mr. Furry accompanied the basket-ball ~~team~~ team to Chatham last Friday, and state that they enjoyed the game very much.

Mr. O'Brien, who was confined to his bed with a high fever and tonsillitis last week, is now entirely recovered.

SPORTOLOGY.

Friday evening last Assumption High travelled to Chatham where they suffered a defeat at the hands of the local Collegiate quintette, with a final score of 26-22. This was the best game which Assumption High has played so far this season. The Purple and White was leading by a good margin throughout the first three periods; in fact at the end of the first half the score was 12-4 in favor of Assumption. In the last quarter, however, the Collegiate quintette came in strong and after a bitter struggle nosed out Assumption. Cliff Blende, a former Assumption Reserve centre, starred for Chatham, scoring nine field goals and two fouls.

The Assumption line-up was as follows:- Left forward-Kenney; Right ~~xxx~~ forward-O'Leary; Centre-Grimaldi; Left guard-Daly; Right guard-Wagner.

Sunday afternoon the Warriors easily defeated the Grosse Pointe Arrows by the score of 36-5. Jimmy Beaupre and "Roscoe" Poupard, former Assumption Minims, were members of the Grosse Pointe team.

Sunday afternoon Assumption summarily defeated the St. Hyacinth quintette of Detroit when they came off on the long end of a 29-13 score. The referee was rather strict, and consequently, an unusually large number of fouls were called. Assumption played up to usual form, the five man defense offering a stone wall ~~xxxx~~ to the visitors. The Detroiters seemed to be lost during the first half and scored only one basket. They played much better in the last period, however, although they could account for only two more field goals, the other seven points ~~xx~~ being scored by Poolitz from the foul line. Shanesy was banished early in the fray, and Dich Noon substituted for him. He and Zott formed a nearly perfect forward combination together scoring ten baskets. This is the first time that Assumption has ever beaten the Detroiters. The line-up was as follows:-

<u>St. Hyacinth</u>		<u>Assumption</u>
Ackerman	R.F.	Zott
Poolitz	L.F.	Shanesy
Wiedelhauser	C.	Cook
Kaiser	R.G.	Sheehan
Brown	L.G.	Daly

Substitutions:- Noon for Shanesy.

Referee:- Quелlette (W.C.I.)

Monday night the Warriors trimmed the Sioux quintette of Detroit, 20-7. This gives the Warriors a total of eleven straight victories.

Tuesday evening the Assumption Senecas, the junior day-scholar team were trimmed by the Indian A.C. of Windsor. ~~xx~~ The senior team, the Norwoods played a game with the Nativity quintette of Detroit and came off victorious with a final score of 27-8.

Tuesday evening last Assumption made the trip to Highland Park where they defeated the Junior College quintette 23-8. Zott and Sheehan were the outstanding stars for the Purple and White. Zott scored six field goals, and Sheehan, besides playing a strong defensive game scored four times. This was the final game for Highland Park J.C.

Saturday the Assumption quintette will travel to London where they will play Western University. This is regarded as one of the most important games on The Assumption ~~xxxxx~~ schedule. One more game within the next week will complete the schedule for the College basket-ball team.

WISE-CRACKS

Pat McMannus-(at dinner table)"Gosh, but you have a sore looking thumb
How did you do it?

Ham Redmond- Serving the soup.

Fr. Coughlin- Say Bill, what was that rumpus I heard on the flat last night?

Vahey- Oh, we were just having a friendly argument, and I won out.

Since some of the old stand-byes of the smoker have sworn off smoking for Lent, the non-conformists are kept on the look-out for their next pipeful of tobacco.

Joe Dorsey say that fine days like these will surely bring the crops along, alright.

Famous saying of famous men: "That's a typical Ciceronian expression!"

Mr. Laporte-"They sent twenty five ships.

Marrenttet- Were twenty five ship many in those days?

Mr. Laporte / just five times five.

Fr. Coughlin-There are monesteries where the monks never sleep.

Girardin- That would be a good place for a dumb man.

Mugan- do you alwss scudder like that?

Bud Vahey-I-t-t-talk.

Sprenger -Did you ~~1/1/1/1~~ see who was knocked down at the basket ball game Sunday?

Joe Roy- Yes the poor timid belle was all rattled.

Van Horn-Why is a woman like a phonograph?

Murry-Got me.

Van-because she can talk while she is running around.

Fr. Plomer (to Trombley)-"Say you had better take you head down and have billiard ball made out of it.

Fr. Plomer-(giving I B the dimension of John Ridd) he was six feet eight inches tall and four feet wide.

Phil. Prentice-well then, Fr. what was his radius?

Beckermann-Lets see who can make the worst faces.

Berry-go away. Look at the start you have on me.

Walker-do you like fish balls?

Stepleton-Well reslly, I've never attended one.

Cameron-Jack your face is clean, but how did you get such dirty hands.

Reddick-washing my face.

Kramer-my girl has Pullman teeth.

Caderet-how's that?

Toney-one upper and one lower.

Stepleton-"I'm so shy, I don't know what to talk about.

Fr. Tighe-Talk about a minute, and then fade away.

NEW NOTES.

Judge Landry is installing a radio outfit in the candy pond, and hopes eventually to add a "magna vox" horn to the apparatus, so that the students in general can "listen in" to the wireless concert and entertainments. Judge reports that the candy business has fallen off considerably since Lent started, although the ice-cream business is on the boom.

Pat the janitor, well known to last year's students, paid the college a visit on Tuesday. He seemed to be well and happy and enjoying life to its fullest extent.

Third and Fourth year Arts enjoyed a respite from studies last Sunday afternoon, in honor of the feast day of St. Thomas Aquinas which was observed this week.

Owing to the illness of the Janitor, Nelson Zott, Ham Redmond, Remi Durand, and Bill Phelan took over the duties yesterday, and one literally could not see them for the dust.

Messrs. Lelly, Letcham, and Durand members of the Hockey team, enjoyed a "night out" tuesday evening, and attended the basket ball game at Highland Park. They returned happy but sober.

Father Tighe absente-mindedly threw a pail of water out of his window yesterday afternoon, and of course it was only a co-incident that a few chosen gentlemen were standing underneath to receive the deluge.

Spring has come! Spring has come! Mr. Carey was out trimming the "shade" trees on the college campus yesterday.

BY OUR ST. MICHAEL'S CORRESPONDENT:-

On March 1st. the Novitiate Sextette under the able management of Si Perdue met and defeated representatives of the Scholasticate in one of the liveliest games of the Season.

Wilbur and O'Donnell on the forward line and Murphy in goal starred for the winners. Garvey was also very "aggressive". There were few serious injuries. Mr. Morrissey looked dangerous at times but seldom escaped the vigilant eye of Mr. Tallon. As the happy visitors wended their way homeward, one of the Scholastic camp was heard to murmur: "Well we'll have a good team next year".

Mr. Louis Resume of Belles Lettres has returned to work after a few days illness. It seems good to have our "Amherstburg wit" with us again.

Chas. Barron is again in our midst after a short sojourn in the sick room.

Fr. Donovan-"Look this up in the Catholic Encyclopedia.

Corbett-Yes, // ~~###~~ I'll ask Fr. Sharpe.

Hayes- There is one thing I can't eat for Breakfast.

Lyons- What's that?

Hayes- My supper.

Holdreith- (on telephone) Hello, is this the weather Bureau?

How about that shower to-night?

Weather Bureau-don't ask us. If you need one take it.

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